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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 15, 2001, the shortened statutory period for response having been extended **three** (3) **months** until **February 15, 2002**, the following amendment and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 78, 79, 84, 90, 91, 96, 97, 102, 109, 110, 117, 118, 121, 126, 129, 134, 135, 140, 141, 146, 151, 152, and 157 as follows. Attached hereto is a marked-up copy of the amended claims.

(Amended) A semiconductor device comprising:

a semiconductor layer including a channel region and source and drain regions in contact with said channel region at a source-channel boundary and a drain-channel boundary, respectively;

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